

**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
WITNESS LIST**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

**CHAIRMAN PHIL MENDELSON
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING**

on

**Fiscal Year 2026 Budget Oversight:
The District of Columbia Public Schools**

on

Friday, June 6, 2025 at 9:30 a.m.

**Hearing Room 412 (Track B)
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
DC Council Website (www.dccouncil.gov)**

PUBLIC WITNESS LIST

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| 1. Eric Goulet | Ward 3 Representative, DC State Board of Education |
| 2. Robert Henderson | Ward 5 Representative, DC State Board of Education |
| 3. Jon Rolle | Principal, Garfield Elementary School, D.C. Public Schools |
| 4. Calvin Ruffin | Director of Career Academies, Ballou High School, D.C. Public Schools |
| 5. Mary Katherine West | Public Witness |
| 6. Scott Goldstein | Executive Director, EmpowerEd |
| 7. Caroline Pryor | Lead Organizer, EmpowerEd |
| 8. Chelsea Coffin | Deputy Director, D.C. Policy Center |
| 9. Danielle Robinette | Children's Law Center |
| 10. Katrina Owens | Executive Director, DC SCORES |
| 11. Tracy Williams | Public Witness |

12. Tara Vanacore	Public Witness
13. Trupti Patel	Chair, ANC 2A
14. David Wills	Youth Guidance
15. Jahvon Gordon	Youth Guidance
16. Angela Jones	Youth Guidance
17. Joshua Bailey	Communities in Schools of the Nation's Capital
18. Monique Baker	Communities in Schools of the Nation's Capital
19. Robin Roesch	Creciendo Chisholm
20. Mia Thrash	Creciendo Chisholm
21. Dorothy Reyneri	Creciendo Chisholm
22. Allison Mueller	Creciendo Chisholm
23. Joanna Kreiselman	Creciendo Chisholm
24. Robert Vinson Brannum	Chairman, Ward 5 Leadership Council Public Safety Committee
25. William Kane	Public Witness
26. Davinia Seay	Public Witness
27. Cathy Reilly	Exec Director, Senior High Alliance of Parents, Principals and Educators
28. Lucy Santiago	Public Witness
29. Maya Martin Cadogan	Founder and Executive Director, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
30. Kristi Matthews-Jones	Director, DC Girls' Coalition
31. Erica Beal	Executive Director, School Leader Lab
32. Yvonne Slosarski	Public Witness
33. Greg Dohmann	Senior Director, Graduation Success Initiatives, D.C. Public Schools

34. Dwight Davis	Public Witness
35. Kristen Santiago	Public Witness
36. Pamela McKinney	Public Witness
37. Erika Harrell	Executive Director, ElectED DC
38. Christina Hanson	Executive Director, CARE DC, Anacostia Chapter
39. Sarah Pasqualini	High Impact Tutoring Director, Kid Power
40. Jacqueline Pogue Lyons	President, Washington Teacher's Union
41. Sharon Carothers	Public Witness
42. Mackenzie Baris	Public Witness
43. Shakuwra Camphor	PTO President, Houston Elementary School PTO
44. Drena Lopez Duran	Public Witness
45. Laura Fuchs	Public Witness
46. Carolina Cuartas	Public Witness
47. Roxana Aguilar Delgado	Public Witness
48. Cesar Romero	Public Witness
49. Dylan Craig	Public Witness
50. Jamie Barden	Parent Member of Bancroft ES, LSAT Bancroft ES
51. Max Broad	Co-Chair, DC Good Food Purchasing Program Coalition
52. Stephanie McGill	Founder, The SOLE TRAIN
53. Rebecca Miller	Public Witness
54. Paige Rothblum	Ally, EmpowerEd
55. Siobhan Perkins	Ally, EmpowerEd
56. Emily Burr	Ally, EmpowerEd

57. Yvette Selby
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
58. Sharn Boone Ruffin
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
59. DaSean Jones
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
60. Ana Rodriguez
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
61. Cristen Jones
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
62. Elizabeth Reddick
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
63. Brandi Reese
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
64. Ty Andrews
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
65. Quiana Lamons
Parent Leader, PAVE (Parents Amplifying Voices in Education)
66. Rachel Nadelman
Creciendo Chisholm
67. Ashley Julian
Creciendo Chisholm
68. Rebecca Lindhurst
Creciendo Chisholm
69. Daniel Grunert
Creciendo Chisholm
70. Kimberly Cragg
Creciendo Chisholm
71. Njeri Jenkins
OST Advocacy Manager, DC Action
72. Sam Bertocchi
Public Witness
73. Sophia Bos-Shadi
Public Witness
74. Zack Wilson
DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
75. Sophia Baratta
DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
76. Rachel Hargreaves
DC Teacher, EmpowerEd

77. Abigail Jackson	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
78. David Tansey	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
79. India Harrison	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
80. Armand Cuevas	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
81. Alice McNeil	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
82. Elizabeth Weiss	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
83. Alexander Hargreaves	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd
84. Dieter Lehmann Morales	DC Teacher, EmpowerEd